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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Examiner: D. C. Dinh

**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed on July 13, 2004, Applicants submit this Amendment for entry into the record in which:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this papers.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.